We will begin shortly!

Meanwhile, please introduce yourself using the chat, and tell us where you are joining us from.

Towards a Non-Aligned Tech Movement

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Nov 24/25, 2020

Ground Rules for the Meeting

1. Please edit your name tag and use your real name. If you can't do this, let us know.
2. Please mute your mic when you are not speaking.
3. It's up to you whether you want to mute your camera, but if connectivity becomes an issue, we suggest you mute your camera as well.
4. Please be respectful of others at all times.
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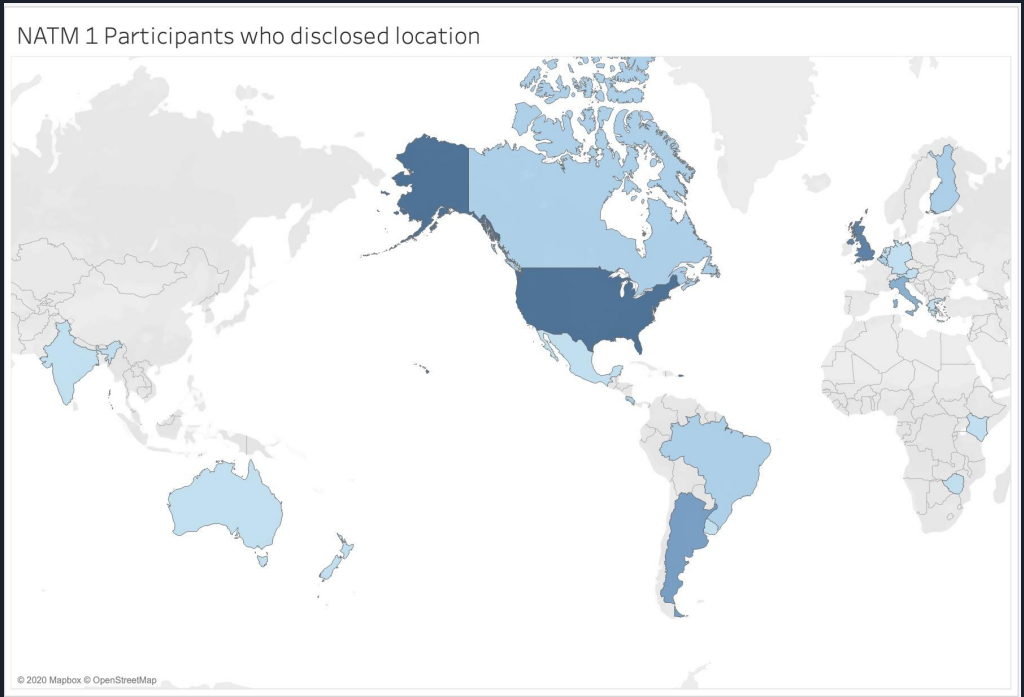
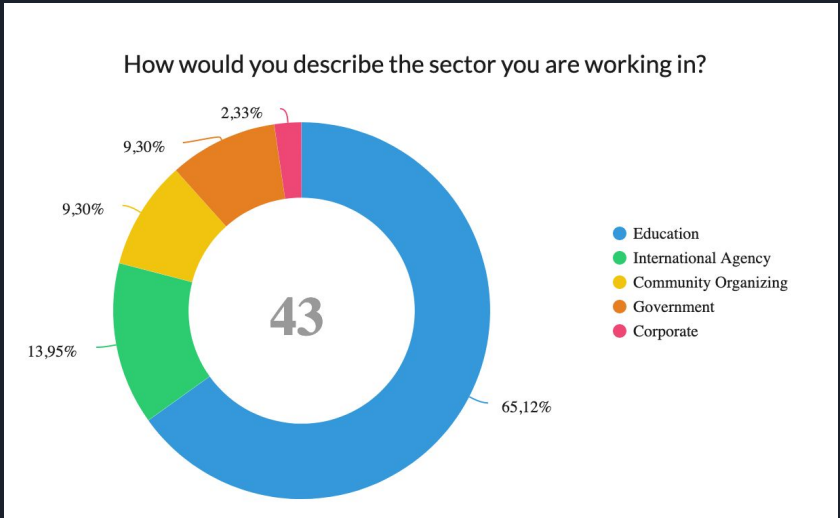
7. Thank you!

Who’s here? (based on RSVP responses)





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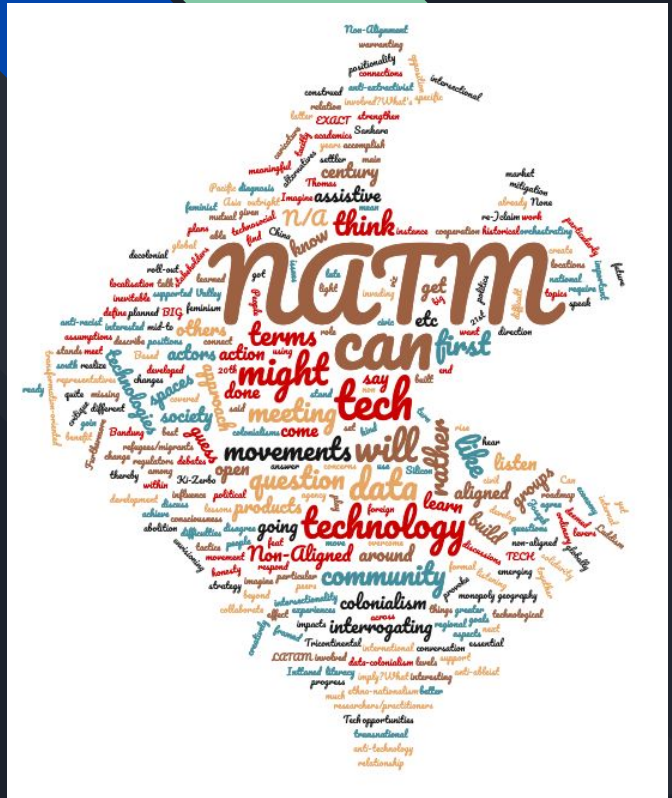
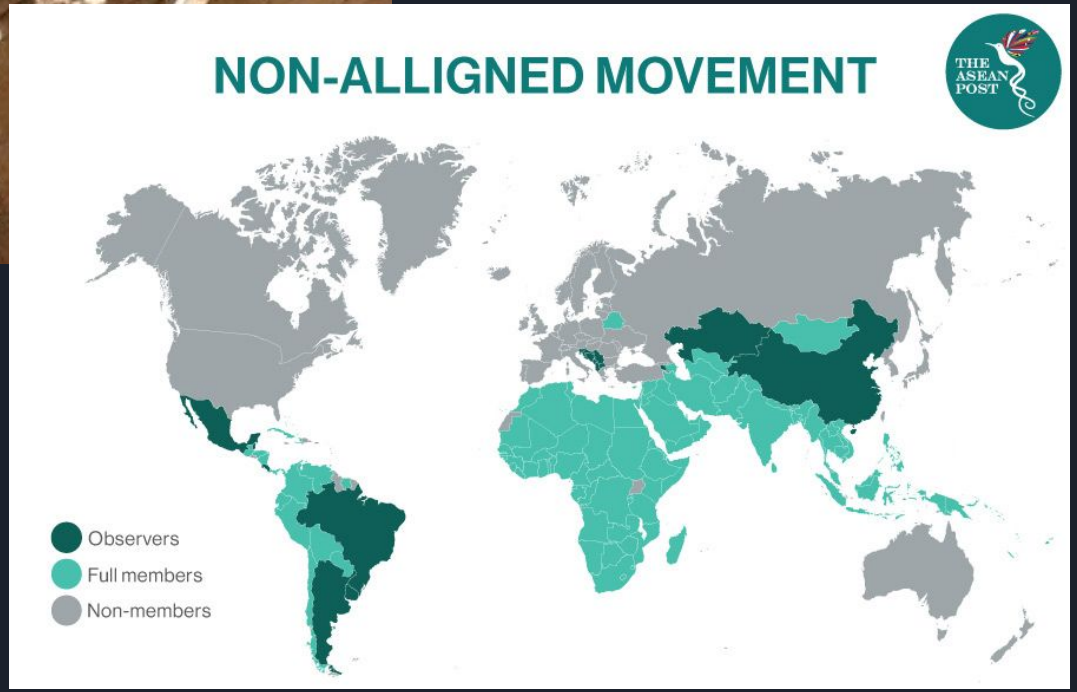


- **Intro to NATM** (10 min)
- **If NATM is the solution, what is the problem?** (50 min)
  - Survey
  - Responses from discussants
  - General Discussion
- **Future History of NATM** (15 min)
  - Discussants
  - Chat exercise
- **Next steps** (5 min)
- Wrap up

Short intro to NATM

Picture of the launch in 1961 in Belgrade, SR Serbia, Yugoslavia

Indian Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru, Ghanaian President Kwame Nkrumah, Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser, Indonesian President Sukarno, and Yugoslav President Josip Broz Tito.



The Gathering storm

Russia starts testing its own internal internet

Devin Coldewey @techcrunch / 4:31 pm -03 • December 26, 2019

US & WORLD \ TECH \ ADOBE

Adobe is cutting off users in Venezuela due to US sanctions

Users have until October 28th to download content

By Dami Lee | @dami_lee | Oct 7, 2019, 10:47pm EDT

TC

GitHub confirms it has blocked developers in Iran, Syria and Crimea

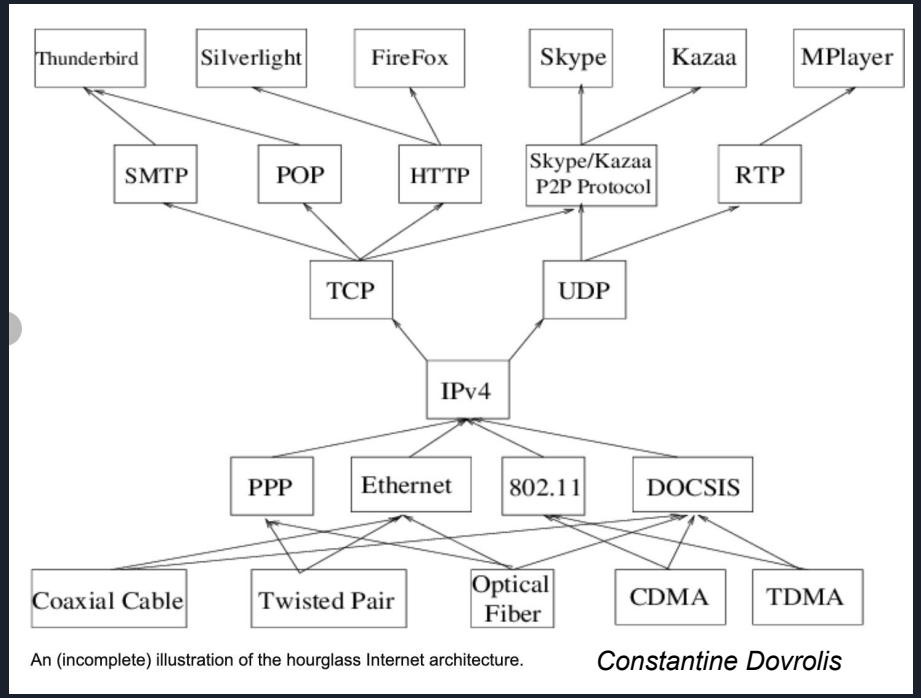
Rita Liao, Manish Singh / 5:44 am -03 • July 29, 2019

Comment

Technology sector + Add to myFT

Beijing orders state offices to replace foreign PCs and software

Pompeo's Clean Network Presentation /// Internet Stack /// Hourglass model



Non-Aligned possibilities...

Infrastructures

- Non-Aligned Apps
- Non-Aligned Platforms
- Non-Aligned Clouds
- Non-Aligned Carriers
- ...

Data

- NA Health Data
- NA Economic Data
- NA Social Data
- NA Environmental Data
- ...

Common Knowledges

- Decolonial Research
- Technofeminisms
- Algorithm Observatories
- Theatre of the Oppressed by Data

Forms of Governance

- Regulation
- Sovereignty
- Data “nationalisation”
- Boycott, Divestment and Sanction (BDS) Big Tech

Levels of Participation*

- NA Individuals
- NA Institutions or Organizations
- NA Cities
- NA Nations
- NA Hemispheres

*NA Goals: Be 50% divested in 5 years; 80% in 8 years, etc.

Survey

menti.com/1zc4u8iy3b

Discussion

Selected Respondents:

Tahu Kukutai: Professor of demography and a founding member of the Māori Data Sovereignty Network, Te Mana Raraunga, and the Global Indigenous Data Alliance.

Renata Avila: International Human Rights Lawyer and author, 2020 Stanford Race and Technology Fellow at the Center for Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity.

Gaurav Jain: Fellow at the National Institute of Public Finance and Policy, New Delhi.

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Open Discussion

Instructions: If you wish to make a comment, please raise your hand by typing “I have a comment” in the chat. We will then give people the floor in that order.

For shorter comments, feel free to use the chat.

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Future History

Instructions: In the chat, please compose a response to the following prompt:

"The year is 2040, and you are talking to young people about the emergence of NATM. How would you summarize the challenges the movement faced, and what allowed it to eventually succeed and thrive?"

Selected Respondents:

Gia Castello
Richard Dzikunu
Joyce Souza
Sabelo Mhlambi

Next Steps

- Contacts + Email list
- nonalignedtech.net wiki
- Working Groups
- Blog post on Tierra Común
- Future meetings